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2 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
3 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

4 JOSE VALDEZ-JIMENEZ,
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6 Petitioner,

7 v.

8 SHERIFF JOSEPH LOMBARDO,
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10 Respondent.

Case No. 2:19-cv-00581-RFB-VCF

ORDER

11 This action is a petition for a writ of habeas corpus, under 28 U.S.C. § 2241, by
12 Jose Valdez-Jimenez, a pretrial detainee at the Clark County Detention Center, in
13 Las Vegas, Nevada. See Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus (ECF No. 1), p. 2. The
14 Respondent Sheriff of Clark County has appeared in the action (ECF No. 10).

15 While reserving judgment regarding the procedural viability and merits of
16 Valdez-Jimenez's petition, the Court determines that his petition warrants a response
17 by the Respondent. See 28 U.S.C. § 2243.

18 On April 10, 2019, Valdez-Jimenez filed an "Emergency Motion to Expedite
19 Resolution of Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus" (ECF No. 9), requesting that "this Court
20 set an expedited briefing schedule and adjudicate his petition for a writ of habeas corpus
21 on an emergency basis." See Motion to Expedite (ECF No. 9), p. 4. Valdez-Jimenez does
22 not request any specific briefing schedule, or any other specific relief, but only asks that
23 the Court set an "expedited" briefing schedule and adjudicate his petition on an
24 "emergency basis." See *id.* In support of his motion, Valdez-Jimenez makes allegations
25 regarding deleterious effects of pretrial detention, both generally and with respect to him
26 in particular, and he asserts that his claims may be mooted if he is either acquitted or
27 convicted before his petition is resolved. See *id.* at 2-4. The Court will deny this motion.
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1 This case will be resolved in due course, as expeditiously as is reasonably practicable
2 given the Court's caseload and the proceedings that become necessary in this action.

3 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that the Respondent Sheriff of Clark County shall
4 file an answer or other response to the petition for writ of habeas corpus within **30 days**
5 from the date of this order.

6 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Petitioner's "Emergency Motion to Expedite
7 Resolution of Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus" (ECF No. 9) is **DENIED**.

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9 DATED this 11th day of April, 2019.

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12 RICHARD F. BOULWARE, II,
13 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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